IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF: Y. Sakai, et al.

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- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted. []
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- [X] No additional fee is required.

THE FEE HAS BEEN CALCULATED AS SHOWN BELOW:

CLAIMS	REMAINING AFTER AMENDENT		HIGH.# PRÈV. PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE ADD'L FEE	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY RATE ADD'L FEE
TOTAL	9	MINUS	20	= 0	X9=\$	X18=\$0
INDEP.	5	MINUS	4	= 0	X43=\$ 43.00	X86=\$0

[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM	+145=\$		+290=\$
	TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$43	

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 - Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
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